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Summary Information

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Historical Note

On August 19, 1862, the 16th Regiment left Indianapolis for Kentucky to aid in repelling General Kirby Smith. The battle of Richmond took place in Kentucky on August 30, 1862. The battle ended with Union defeat; 200 soldiers of the 16th Regiment being wounded and 600 taken prisoner. After defeat at Richmond, the prisoners were paroled and sent back to Indianapolis where they remained in camp until November.

Biographical Note

Morrison Davis enlisted as a private in Company G, Indiana 16th Infantry Regiment on August 12, 1862. He mustered out on April 2, 1863.

Sources: Historical Data Systems, comp. U.S., Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles, 1861-1865 [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2009.

Scope and Contents

This collection includes one parole document from the Army of Kentucky from 1862 regarding the parole of prisoner Morrison Davis.

Arrangement

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Publication Information

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Controlled Access Headings

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- United States. Army. Indiana Infantry Regiment, 16th (1861-1865).
- United States. Army. Indiana Volunteer Regiment, 16th (1861-1862).

Geographic Name(s)

- Indiana--History--Civil War, 1861-1865.
- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865
- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Prisoners and prisons

Personal Name(s)

• Davis, Morrison